

FOREWORD

According to a recent study by the Office of Management and Budget, service contracting is the fastest growing area of Government procurement and now accounts for 53% of executive agency procurement expenditures. Not surprisingly, therefore, the efficient administration of service contracts is deemed essential to the success of the unique and varied missions performed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE).

This pamphlet is intended to provide guidance to all USACE elements involved in service contracting. The pamphlet provides information relating to the applicability of the Service Contract Act of 1965 as well as the procedures by which the Act is implemented in USACE service contracting activities.



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